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## GUNMEN ROB MISSION AND MURDER MAN

### INDICT 52 MASTER PLUMBERS FOR VIOLATING DONNELLY LAW; HETTRICK WAS THEIR COUNSEL

27 of These Come Under Head of Corporations and 25 Are Individuals.

ATTORNEYS IN COURT.

Returns Are Made by the Spiegelberg Grand Jury Late This Afternoon.

Fifty-two members of the Master Plumbers' Association, including twenty-seven corporations and twenty-five individuals, were today indicted by the Extraordinary Grand Jury of which William J. Spiegelberg is foreman.

The blanket indictment charged them with violation of the Donnelly Anti-Trust Law.

The Master Plumbers' Association is one of the trade organizations of which John T. Hettrick was counsel.

In pursuance of instructions by the Court to produce their clients, the following attorneys were in court when the indictment was handed up to Justice McAvoy in the Criminal Branch of the Supreme Court: Milton Mayer, Joseph J. Goldstein, Goodman Block and Robert H. Elder, the latter Hettrick's counsel.

Immediately after the indictment was handed up and the Grand Jury had been continued, the attorneys named and Deputy Attorneys General Spence, Berger, Pfeiffer and Duer were called to the bar for a conference with Justice McAvoy.

The court then announced that half of \$5,000 for each individual would be fixed and counsel were notified to produce their clients, the indicted men, in court to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Herbert Smith and Harry Hamlin, two members of the firm of Hamlin & Smith, who were in court, at once came forward and gave the required bail. Milton Schmitt, also in court, advanced to the bar and offered bail. Mr. Elder was notified by the Court that John T. Hettrick had been indicted to-day and that he must be produced at the stated hour to-morrow afternoon. His bail of \$100,000 exacted in the cut stone contractors' indictment, was accepted as covering the indictment of to-day.

### ROCKEFELLER SUED FOR INCOME TAX

Government Seeks to Recover \$292,678.78 With 5 P. C. Penalty From June, 1916.

Assistant United States District Attorney R. S. Owen, for the government, this afternoon brought in the United States District Court an income tax suit against John D. Rockefeller for \$292,678.78, with a penalty of 5 per cent, and interest thereon at the rate of 1 per cent, from June 30, 1916, and for the costs and disbursements for the action.

The complaint, which concerns the stock of an oil company and of an Illinois pipe line company, alleges that the income tax return filed by Mr. Rockefeller on March 28, 1916, purporting to be a true and complete statement of his income, was incorrect, misleading and false, and that he failed to include in it as part of his income 60,103 shares of Illinois Pipe Line Co. and 67,177 shares of the Prairie Pipe Line Company.

### MRS. BROOKS TELLS GRAND JURY STORY OF HORTON SLAYING

Gets Immunity and Will Be Witness for the Prosecution.

When Mrs. Lucille Emma Brooks, charged with homicide in connection with the killing of Police Lieutenant Horton, went before the Grand Jury to-day she was not asked to sign a waiver of immunity. Under the circumstances she cannot be indicted and will be a witness for the State in any prosecutions which may follow.

Mrs. Brooks, who was before the Grand Jury for an hour, stated that she had known Nicholas Larech for some time. She said the man had formerly been employed in a drug store near an apartment house where she and her husband resided. A few weeks ago upon her return to New York from California Mrs. Brooks said she made inquiries about "Nick" and was told he was operating a taxicab.

Mrs. Brooks told the jurors that she was desirous of moving from the apartment she occupied at No. 510 West 146th Street because of the annoyances she was subjected to by a negro. She says John Cavanagh, who did odd jobs about the apartment house sent for "Nick" and they helped her move to No. 52 Hamilton place.

After she had been moved, the woman stated, "Nick" asked her to take a ride and she consented. She says they picked up Joseph Larech, a brother of "Nick," who was killed by Lieut. Horton. She had never met Joseph Larech previous to this time, she said.

Mrs. Brooks told of going to a restaurant at 147th Street and Amsterdam Avenue, after which they drove to 146th Street and stopped in front of the apartment house from which she had moved. She says Joseph Larech went into the place. Then she heard a shot. She heard some one jumping on the running board of the

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### PRESIDENT HONORS MAJOR-GEN. O'RYAN

Makes Commander of National Guard Major General in Reserve Corps.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—Major Gen. John F. O'Ryan, Commander of the New York National Guard, was nominated to-day by President Wilson to be a Major General in the Officers' Reserve Corps.

Gen. O'Ryan was a Major General in the army during the war, commanding the 77th New York National Guard Division at the front.

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### SWINDLING ALIENS NOW MADE EASY BY STATE BANK LAWS

"Brokers" and "Bankers" Created at an Expense of Only \$25 Each.

ALL POTENTIAL FRAUDS.

Even Wealthy Concerns of Standing Lend Themselves to the Robberies.

By Martin Green.

"The Evening World," said a prominent banker to-day, "has embarked on a mission which will be of immense benefit to the poor and ignorant of this city and this country in its exposure of the wholesale exploitation of the foreign born in our cities and the war stricken people of Europe, who look upon this country as a land where gold and precious stones grow like weeds. I and other bankers will gladly co-operate with The Evening World in its campaign to remedy the evil in so far as it applies to the grafters who call themselves bankers and exchange brokers."

"You are exposing the results, but you have thus far failed to make public the cause. It may surprise you to know that the underlying cause of the fleeing of the ignorant in this community is the great State of New York."

"The Secretary of State issues brokers' licenses for \$25 a year. They are required of reputable brokers, but anybody that has \$25 to put up for a license and money enough to rent a small store or office room can buy one."

"In Manhattan alone I should say there are 2,500 alleged brokers who are running wild under the authority of the State. They are responsible to no one. They are a law unto themselves."

"The State law provides that to do a banking or foreign remittance business one must go through certain formalities and be under the jurisdiction of the State Banking Department and render weekly reports. But the great State of New York proceeds to nullify this law by issuing licenses empowering the holders to do what amounts to banking and foreign remittance business without any restrictions whatever."

BIG COMPANIES IGNORE BANKING LAWS.

"Another class that gets away from the jurisdiction of the State Banking Department while doing a foreign remittance business is composed of many agents of the American Express Company and the Cunard Steamship Company and other international common carriers. The rates charged by these concerns for transmitting money to Europe are high. Under the guise of an agency hundreds of unscrupulous

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### HANIBIL DE MESA, WHO WON FORTUNE AT MONTE CARLO



### CUBAN COMES HERE WITH \$140,000 WON AT MONTE CARLO

Hanibil J. de Mesa Arrives With Favorite Cousin of Spanish King.

Hanibil J. de Mesa, a Cuban, who is reported to have won \$140,000 at Monte Carlo, accompanied by Prince Harol A. de Bourbon, favorite cousin of King Alfonso of Spain, arrived today on the steamship Imperator.

Senor de Mesa, a personable young man of pleasing manners and glowing black eyes, pouch-pouched the reported large amount of his winnings, which rumor said may have amounted as high as \$1,000,000. He and Prince de Bourbon are going to the Vanderbilt Hotel.

The Steamship Imperator which sailed Dec. 11 from Southampton, England, brought 2,135 passengers, including 275 first cabin. The Imperator carried \$2,500,000 in eighty-four packages, but even this huge sum was overshadowed by the presence of two honest-to-goodness London hobbies. They have come to swap passes with New York policemen who have fastidiously refused.

Jack Stanley and Henry Mallin, the London fighting cops, were met at the London by Deputy Commissioner John M. Shaw, Inspector John O'Brien, Colonel Du Mont Thompson and a delegation of police from the Police Training School. Stanley weighs 190 pounds and is a police messenger in Scotland Yard. He has defeated some of the best amateur fighters of the British Army and Navy. Mallin is twenty-eight and weighs 160 pounds. He participated in the Olympic games at Antwerp, and is the champion middleweight of Great Britain.

Both hobbies will be the guests of the Police Club while they are in the city. They are scheduled to fight Jan. 4. They have invited any and all New York cops to come to England in the summer and fight them.

DUCHESS TO QUIT ENGLAND

LONDON, Dec. 20.—The Duchess of Marlborough, formerly Consuela Vanderbilt, who was recently granted a divorce from her husband, the Duke of Marlborough, has decided to leave England permanently and will probably make Paris her future home, according to the Daily Mail.

For many years the Duchess has given a cup to an organization for the promotion of the promotion of deserving, active and

### ENRIGHT WANTS 1,269 POLICE ADDED TO PRESENT FORCE TO COPE WITH CRIME WAVE

NO ACTION YET ON ENRIGHT AS HEAD OF POLICE

Commissioner Has Neither Resigned Nor Been Removed Up to Date.

AT 5 P. M. this afternoon Police Commissioner Enright had neither resigned nor been removed by Mayor Hylan or Gov. Smith.

### POLICE COLLAPSE DUE TO GRUDGES AND FAVORITISM

Lieut. Floyd Horton's Indictment of Police Administration Borne Out.

The revelations contained in the indictment of the New York police by the ill-fated hero, Lieut. Floyd Horton, as printed in The Evening World Saturday, had a stunning effect on the masses of the people who had only a faint conception of what was going on within that department. But to the thousands of citizens whose affairs, inside and outside of the department, have kept them in close contact with it, there was no such shock of surprise. They knew it all along. This was especially true of all those people who, for the last ten or fifteen years, have been familiar with the workings of that important branch of the City Government upon which all New Yorkers depend for the preservation and safety of their lives and property.

The "fifty lieutenants and sergeants doing so-called warfare work" are known throughout the department as "retired on full pay." This means that they are men disqualified by age or mental equipment for active duty and have been assigned to the Welfare Bureau to do exactly nothing. The bureau was formed to make an alliance between the citizenry and the police; to teach children to regard the blue coat and brass buttons as those of a big brother and friend rather than as a bugaboo. The welfare policeman, as originally organized, was invited into homes to settle small squabbles; he had time to listen to minor complaints of mischief and petty thefts and annoyances and settle them without making a criminal spectacle in court of girls and boys and their quarrelling parents, perhaps. He reduced the work of the policemen on regular duty, so they had more time for preventing and detecting serious crime by prompt and effective patrolling. The welfare policeman lectured to children in the schools on "safety first" and friendly aid to policemen. They studied neighborhood traffic danger spots.

All this work has been stopped. In the place of active young men, constantly growing in knowledge of the city and human nature, are old men who are kept in the department when they should be making room for the promotion of deserving, active and

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Writes Plea to Mayor but Still Denies That Conditions in City Are Abnormal.

SERVICE MEN TO AID.

Judges Raise Bail Bonds—Say There Is "Too Much Sentimentality for Convicts."

The authorities of the city moved today with a celerity and determination which indicated that hereafter desperadoes and lesser criminals are to have short shrift in this community. The events of the day produced strong evidence that there is to be no lack of concerted action in the effort to rid New York of the thugs who have terrorized the residential and business sections of the city and reaped a thriving harvest of hundreds of thousands of dollars in the last few weeks.

In a letter to Mayor Hylan to-day, Police Commissioner Enright requested the appointment of 1,269 patrolmen for duty in 1921. The budget for that year had already made provision for 600 additional men, but the Commissioner to-day stated that he needed 769 more for the proper protection of the city. Mayor Hylan presented the letter to the Board of Estimate.

Although Commissioner Enright made this request, his letter gave no indication that he doesn't believe a word about the so-called crime-wave, though he spoke of requiring "an adequate force to cope with the more or less dangerous condition with which we are confronted."

In his letter he said, in part: "The people of this city are somewhat alarmed because of a few spectacular and atrocious crimes which have occurred recently, and although our records show that serious crimes in this city are about normal, still I believe that we should make such immediate adequate preparations to meet the conditions with which the whole world, as well as our own country and our own city, seem to be confronted."

"There is a great deal of unrest throughout the world and the reports from all parts of the country indicate that crime is on the increase, and we

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### MARRIAGES OF 1920 SET RECORD HERE

Almost 42,000 Licenses Issued Since First of Year, Bureau Reports.

From present indications the year 1920 will be a record breaker as to the number of marriage licenses issued. According to the statistics of the bureau there have been issued up to a o'clock this afternoon 41,916 marriage licenses since the first of the year. The biggest year in the history of the city heretofore was 1917, when draft dodgers brought the record up to 41,568.

During the last five or six years there has been a gradual increase in the number of licenses issued.

The Christmas season this year is marked by an unusual rush of applicants, there having been issued so far this month 2,171 licenses. December is usually an "off month."

### CLERK AT MISSION FORCED TO AID ROBBERS WHO KILL MAN WHO DID NOT INTERFERE

Enter Office at Jane and West This Morning and Force the Clerk to Aid in Robbery—Mrs. Cecile Sartoris's Apartment in Washington Square Robbed of \$8,000 Booty.

ALL POLICE ARE ORDERED TO SEARCH CITIZENS ON STREET AFTER MIDNIGHT

Police Commissioner Enright to-day issued the following order, to be read to members of the uniformed force:

"Between midnight and daylight, until further orders, members of the force on duty in uniform will stop every person travelling on unfrequented streets, side streets or other parts of the city where their presence or actions may be open to suspicion, finding out if they are armed and requiring them to give a good account of themselves under the existing circumstances."

"No good citizen will object to this procedure. Only officers in uniform will observe this rule."

Enright issued another order suspending "during the present emergency" the half hour meal time allowed members of the force on patrol.

Despite the elaborate precautions taken by the police to check the city's crime wave, two hold-up men walked into the Seamen's Mission at Jane and West Streets, murdered James Russell, a shipyard worker who lived there, took \$400 from the safe and escaped shortly after 6 o'clock this morning.

Two hours later a guest of the Hotel Astor was knocked on the head not far from the hotel and robbed of \$200 and his diamond ring.

Arthur Murdock, clerk and cashier at the Mission, went on duty at 6 o'clock, relieving the night watchman, Charles M. Arndt. The departure of the night watchman apparently was the signal that the bandits were awaiting and they entered the Mission. One was tall and wore a checked overcoat and the other was short and dressed in dark clothes. They wore black silk masks, and Murdock said artificial blackening appeared to have been applied around their eyes.

Both men carried revolvers and the short man, in addition, was armed with a stiletto.

Murdock was beginning the day's work in a tea by fourteen foot cage on the main floor of the mission, which is about ten feet up from the street. The short man pointed his revolver at him and ordered him to throw up his hands. Murdock obeyed and the tall man walked to the rear of the cage and covered him with his revolver.

Russell was standing near the door waiting for a friend who worked with him at the Robbins Dry Dock in Brooklyn, and who lives at the mission. The short man fired a shot and Russell fell. He had made no move to interfere with the hold-up and the police are at a loss for a motive for his murder. It is believed the short bandit thought Russell was a watchman and was about to put up a battle.

The tall bandit poked his gun through the cage and ordered Murdock to open the door. Murdock obeyed and then was forced to open the safe. While the short bandit backed Murdock up to his keyboard and kept him covered the tall one cleaned out the safe of \$400, Monday and Sunday receipts of the mission. The robbers then walked leisurely out of the place and disappeared. Murdock said the hold-up and murder occupied exactly seven minutes.

Murdock telephoned to the Charles Street Police Station, but before the arrival of the large squad sent from there, Policeman Francis Craven, on post nearby, dashed into the Mission.

He called an ambulance but Russell died before it arrived. A general alarm is out for the bandits. Murdock said he might recognize the tall bandit, but was doubtful about the short one.

After breakfast at the Hotel Astor this morning, James Cagle, who arrived from Pigott, Okla., last night, ventured out to the street. A few minutes later he was knocked on the head. When he got up he found that he had been robbed of \$200 and a diamond ring. The ring had been torn from his hand. Cagle was dizzy from the blow. He doesn't remember just where it happened, for he is not very familiar with New York's topography, but he thinks it was in a safe somewhere in the district bounded by 44th and 45th